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Naples, June 11.

THE St. Charles Man of War, and another Ship lately equipped in this Port, put to Sea this Day, in order to join the Chebecks under the Command of Captain Martinez, who is out on a Cruize againſt the Barbary Pyrates. The King has diſpoſed of the rich Abby of La Maggiore in Favour of M. Braniforte, the Pope's Nuncio at the Court of Venice. They write from Barletta, that ſixty more Recruits arrived there laſt Week for the new Battallion of the Regiment of Royal Macedonia. We are informed by the Maſter of a Felucca who arrived here on Thurſday laſt from the Coaſt of Sicily, that, on the 26th of laſt Month, a Shock of an Earthquake was felt at Meſſina, and in its Neighbourhood, but that it happily went off without doing any conſiderable Damage.

Rome, June 17. The Pope has cauſed a Bull to be iſſued, authorizing his Catholick Majeſty to demand four Months Revenue of all the Eccleſiaſtical Benefices throughout his Dominions, as well in Europe, as in America, in order to defray the Expence of the great Armaments that are preparing in the different Ports of Spain againſt the Corſairs of Africa. In the Night between the 7th and 8th Inſtant, a Shock of an Earthquake was felt here; it laſted about half a Minute, and did no other Damage than throwing down the Chimneys of ſome old Houſes. But at Vellattri, Freſcati, Marino, Albano, and Caſtel Gandolfo, the Shock was more ſevere, ſo that many of the Inhabitants, through Fear, quitted their Houſes leaſt they ſhould be buried under their Ruins; however the Damage they received on this Occaſion does not appear ſo conſiderable as was at firſt apprehended.

Genoa, June 18. Laſt Tueſday the Great Council met to chuſe a Doge, when the Election fell almoſt unanimouſly on John-James Veneroſo, who thereupon received the Compliments of all the Orders of this Republick the ſame Day. The preſent Exigencies have occaſioned the Republick to lay an additional Duty upon Wine, which is paid by the Inhabitants without Reluctance.

Vienna, June 22. Her Imperial Majeſty is ſo well recovered of her late lying-in, that ſhe propoſes to appear in Publick next Saturday. We are aſſured, that before the Departure of the Court for Bohemia, the Archbiſhop Prince of Saltzbourg's Commiſſaries will receive, from the Hands of the Emperor, the Inveſtiture of the Temporalities of his Archbiſhoprick. Baron Schertzer, Lieutenant Field Marſhal of the Imperial Forces, Governor of the Fortreſs of Carlſtadt in Croatia, and Commander in Chief of the Troops in that Province, died there ſome Days ago, after a ſhort Illneſs. By his Death the Command of the late Duke of Ahrenberg's Regiment of Foot, which the Empreſs ſome Time ſince conferred on him, as alſo the Command of a Regiment of Croats, are become vacant.

Manheim, June 30. The Elector our Sovereign, and the Prince of Deux Ponts, intend to ſet out next Wedneſday for Slangenbad, where they propoſe to ſpend about eight or ten Days. They deſign taking their Route by Mentz, in order to pay a Viſit to the Elector of that Name. Their Highneſſes will be accompanied in this Tour by the Barons Wachtendonck and Wreden, and attended by a numerous Retinue.

Bruſſels, July 1. On Friday laſt a grand Council was held at Court, at which Prince Charles of Lorrain, Governor General of theſe Countries, aſſiſted, having come from Ter Vuren for that Purpoſe. We are aſſured, that the Princeſs Charlotte of Lorrain will come here from Vienna in the Month of September next.

Hague, July 4. We are informed by our laſt Diſpatches from Friſeland, that her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Governante, with the young Prince Stadtholder, and his Siſter, intend ſetting out from Oranje-Woud To-morrow on a Tour to Leuwaerden. Count Bentinck, who has been into Germany on private Affairs, is expected back from thence To-day or To-morrow.

Whitehall, July 13.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Matthew Hiccox, Eſq; to be His Majeſty's Agent and Conſul General in the Iſlands of Madeiras.

General

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General Post Office, March 2, 1754.

Whereas the Post Boy, bringing the Kent Mail to this Office, upon Thursday the 28th of February last, was, between the Hours of Eight and Nine of the Clock in the Evening, attacked and robbed, at a Place called Snipps Hill, about a Mile beyond Sittingborn by three Footpads, one of whom fired a Pistol, seized the Horse which carried the Mail, beat the said Post Boy cruelly, and cut the Mail from the Horse and carried it away.

Two of the Persons who committed this Robbery are described as short Men, dressed like Sailors; and the other a tall Man in a red Coat.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, the Persons, or any of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, do, or shall make Discovery, whereby any one, or more of the Persons, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer, or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of any one, or more, of the said Robbers, be intitled to the same Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Post-Master-General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

N. B. This Mail was afterwards found and brought fast to the Office.

General Post-Office, April 13, 1754.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That a Mail for Corunna, including the Letters to Oporto, will, for the Future, be made up, and forwarded, from this Office, every Tuesday; and that all such Letters, for Oporto, as are intended to pass by the Way of Lisbon, must be marked accordingly, otherwise they will, in Course, be forwarded by the Corunna Mail.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,
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General Post Office, July 2, 1754.

Those are to give Notice, That the Post will go every Night, (Sundays excepted) from London to Tunbridge Wells, and from Tunbridge Wells to London; to begin on Friday next the 5th Instant, and to continue so to do, during the Summer Season, as usual.

By Command of the Post-Master General,
Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

South Sea House, London, July 12, 1754.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House, on Friday the 26th Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, in order to the declaring a Dividend on the Capital Stock of the said Company, for the Half Year ending the 5th of this Month, being Old Midsummer Day.

A General Meeting of the Trustees for repairing and amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Sussex, is appointed to be held at the Greyhound Inn in Croydon, on Saturday the 27th Day of July 1754, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to choose Trustees in the Place of such as are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and to appoint Toll-Collectors; and for Dispatch of other Business relating to the Trust.

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N. B. *The original Letter from whence the above was extracted, and which came from a Gentleman of known Honour and Veracity in the Island of* Barbadoes, *may be seen at Mr.* Newbery's, *at the* Bible *and* Sun *in* St. Paul's Church Yard.

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By the KING's *PATENT.*

HIS Majesty having been graciously pleased to grant His Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Westminster the 21st Day of May 1754, unto John Lewis, Merchant, in Plymouth, for his new invented Varnish of Pine, prepared from the Glutinous Juices of the American Pitch Pine Tree, proved by many Experiments made in His Majesty's Dock Yards, and many other private Docks, to be the cheapest and best Preparation for Paying Ships Sides and Masts, and for preserving Ships and Timber Buildings from the Weather, from the Worm, and from Decay of any Thing yet known. It is very tenacious and penetrating, and intirely free from that saline acid Water which is found in Turpentine in great Quantities; it will never turn White after Rain, but continue always of a bright Amber Colour, and very transparent; it must be laid on cold with a Brush, which may be done at Sea as well as in Harbour; and is of the Consistency of Linseed Oyl, boiled down very thick, and quite as smooth.—One Hundred Weight is sufficient to pay the Sides and Masts of a Ship of 250 Tons: This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, that the said Varnish is sold by the Patentee at Plymouth, and by Mr. Alexander French, Ship-Chandler, at Rotherhith.

WHEREAS the King's Royal Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing Date at Westminster the 18th Day of April, in the 24th Year of his present Majesty's Reign, have issued out to John Baker, now of the Town of Manchester, Merchant, and John Barker, late of the City of Philadelphia, in the Province of Pensilvania, Gentleman, for the sole making and vending of Pott-Ashes and Pearl-Ashes, upon their Invention in America, and the West Indies, for the Term therein granted: And all other Persons whatever, are, by the said Letters Patent, restrained from using, imitating, or counterfeiting the same. Notice is hereby given, that all and every Person or Persons, who shall disobey his Majesty's Injunctions contained in the said Patent, will be prosecuted with the utmost Severity of the Law.

ALL Persons who have any Demands upon Mr. Ralph Robinson, late of Aldermanbury, Warehouseman, now of Haughton le Spring, in the County of Durham, are desired to apply for the same to Probyn and Spencely, in Aldermanbury, London.

ALL Persons whatsoever, who have any Claims or Demands upon the Estate and Effects of Abell Rocaquel, late of Green Street near Leicester-fields, Stationer and Bookseller, deceased, are required forthwith to send an Account thereof to Mr. Sumpff, Perukemaker, his Administrator, facing Old Bond Street in Piccadilly.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, and a General Order of Transfer, The Creditors of Richard Haines the Younger, late of Prestbury in the County of Gloucester, Gentleman, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of John Wynyard, late of the Parish of Saint Margaret's Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are forthwith to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, and prove their respective Debts, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Thomas Hill, late of Cannon Pyon in the County of Hereford, Gentleman, deceased, are peremptorily to come in before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their Debts, on or before the 5th Day of August next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Richard Muckleston, late of Shrewsbury in the County of Salop, Gentleman, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curitor's Street, London, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, in separate Lots, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curitor's Street, London, The Real Estate of Richard Muckleston, late of Shrewsbury in the County of Salop, Gentleman, deceased. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree and subsequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, on Friday the 26th of July Instant, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Brick Messuage, with five or six Rooms on a Floor, a large Garden and a Fishpond, a good Coach-house, Stables, and other convenient Out-houses, pleasantly situated near Stansted Abbot in Hertfordshire. Particulars to be had at the said Chambers.

TO be sold by Auction, by Order of the Assignees in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Abraham de Paiba the Younger, at Garraway's Coffeehouse in Exchange-Alley, London, on Thursday the 25th Day of July Instant, between the Hours of Twelve and One of the Clock at Noon, The Reversion in Fee, expectant on the Death of the Bankrupt's Mother, of a Freehold House, situate in Bury Street, Saint Mary Axe, London, now in her Occupation. And also an Exchequer Annuity of eighteen Pounds, of the Year 1745, for the Life of the said Bankrupt. Particulars whereof may be had at Skinners Hall, Dowgate Hill, London.

THE Creditors of Captain Thomas King, deceased, are desired to meet his Representative Mr. George Steevens, on Wednesday the 31st of July Instant, at the King's Arms Tavern in Cornhill, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to consider of a final Dividend of the said Thomas King's Estate: And if any of the Creditors have not yet procured their Debts to be adjusted, they are desired forthwith to bring an Account thereof to Mr. Francis Cooper in Basinghall Street, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of any Dividend out of the said Estate.

Pursuant